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	E	4,788,715	11/29/88	Lee	379	84	
	F	4,893,330	01/09/90	Franco	379	91	
	G	4,953,204	08/28/90	Cuschleg, Jr. et al.	379	266	
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	N	5,058,152	10/15/91	Solomon et al.	379	67	
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	P	5,148,474	09/15/92	Haralambopoulos et al.	379	111	
	Q	5,163,086	11/10/92	Ahearn et al.	379	91	
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	BB	5,359,642	10/25/94	Castro	379	121	
	CC	5,420,926	05/30/95	Low et al.	380	24	
	DD	5,444,774	08/22/95	Friedes	379	266	
	EE	5,469,497	11/21/95	Pierce et al.	379	115	
	FF	5,483,588	01/09/96	Eaton et al.	379	202	
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	NN	5,521,631	05/28/96	Budow et al.	348	7	
	OO	5,528,670	06/18/96	Elliot et al.	379	89	
	PP	5,537,464	07/16/96	Lewis et al.	379	114	
	QQ	5,546,446	08/13/96	Tsunokawa et al.	379	114	
	RR	5,559,871	09/24/96	Smith	379	115	
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	ZZ	5,603,078	02/11/97	Henderson et al.	455	5.1	
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	BBB	5,621,787	04/15/97	McKoy et al.	379	144	
	CCC	5,638,426	06/10/97	Lewis	379	90	
	DDD	5,651,058	07/22/97	Hackett-Jones et al.	379	201	
	EEE	5,715,298	02/03/98	Rogers	379	91.01	
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	NNN	5,825,863	10/20/98	Walker	379	144	
	OOO	5,835,126	11/10/98	Lewis	348	8	
	PPP	5,867,566	02/02/99	Hogan et al.	379	115	
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